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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

CHURCH PARADE—There will be a Church Parade Service at the Union Church on SUNDAY, 26th inst. To fall in at Headquarters at 10 A.M.
Dress, Revere, and Order.
Pastor, Rev. Mr. J. H. Williams, and side arms. Signaller, Sergeant and bell.
Machine Gun Company, Serge, helmets, and side arms.
Transport will be provided for Dock Detachment.
FIELD BATTERY.
No. 325—44th BATTAL—There will be 64 p.m. Drill by Detachments on Wednesday, 17th inst. at 8 P.M.
No. 1 Detachment—Monday 23rd inst. at 8 P.M.
No. 2 Detachment—Monday 23rd inst. at 8 P.M.
No. 3 Detachment—Tuesday 24th inst. at 8 P.M.
No. 4 Detachment—Tuesday 24th inst. at 8 P.M.
No. 5 Detachment—Friday 27th inst. at 5.30 p.m. and No. 6 Detachment—Saturday 28th inst. at 8 P.M.
Each Detachment will be drilled by its own N.C. Officers, and Sub-Division Officers should endeavor to attend when their respective Sub-Divisions are drilling. It is notified for information that the Signal and Challenge Cup will be held by the winning Detachment yearly, whose names will be engraved on the Cup.
The No. 1 of the winning Detachment will receive a cup as a prize and the other members each a silver medal.
No. 331—SIGNALLING—Headquarters on MONDAY and WEDNESDAY at 5 P.M.
NOTICE.
Applications from gentlemen desiring to join the Corps should be sent to VOLUNTEER HEADQUARTERS, when a copy of the Regulations, etc., will be sent, and any information afforded.
By Order,
L. A. C. GORDON,
Captain R.A.,
Adjutant, H.K.V.C.
Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. [195]

TO INSURANCE OFFICES AND OTHERS.

It is requested that all VICTORY FIRE BRIGADE BADGES hitherto issued be returned to the Acting Superintendent of Fire Brigade for alteration and registration.
On and after the 1st proximo none but the new badges will be recognised.
W. O. H. HASTINGS,
Acting Superintendent of Fire Brigade,
Fire Brigade Office,
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [223]

MONDAY

THE ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT of the CHUNG NGOI SAN PO will close on MONDAY, 18th January, 1896. [230]

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 31st FEBRUARY, 1896, at 12 o'clock (noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st DECEMBER, 1895.
The RESOLUTIONS of SHARES will be CLOSING ON MONDAY, the 27th JANUARY, at 5 o'clock (noon), and on MONDAY, the 31st FEBRUARY, 1896 (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited,
General Agents for the West Point Building Company, Limited.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [231]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received Instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

ON FRIDAY, the 1st day of JANUARY, 1896, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Premises, SECTIONS 3, 4, and 5 of Marine Lot No. 91, with Sections B and C of Marine Lot No. 91, with the House known as Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, The Mill Alley, and Nos. 115 and 116, Praya West.
The Premises are held for the residue of a term of 99 Years. An unexpired term of 23 years. Conditions of Sale and Particulars may be had on application to
C. B. WEN,
Solicitor,
or
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. [232]

THE HONGKONG STAMP DEPOT.

DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND COLONIAL STAMPS, 8, 11, and 12, Argyle Street.

ALL Collectors should send for my fine

Approval Stamps containing Good and Cheap STAMPS. New Lots received by every Mail. Stamps bought and sold. Agents wanted in every port. If you are a collector send for a trial lot.
E. J. DE FIGUEROA,
Proprietor.
Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. [234]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI.
THE Company's Steamship
Captain Davis will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 19th inst., at DAYLIGHT.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARSEN & CO.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [226]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.
THE Steamship
Captain Hopkins will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 19th inst., at DAYLIGHT.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. [225]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL

SIGNORINA DELINFANTE'S GRAND CONCERT
ON MONDAY, the 20th JANUARY, at 8.15 P.M.

Under the Distinguished Patronage and in the Presence of His Excellency Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON, K.C.M.G.

PROGRAMME

1. Song "The Last Man"..... Collett, Mr. W. E. Osow.
 2. Selection "The Part of the Heroine"..... Gluck, (from "Iphigenia").
 3. Solo on the Flute..... Signorina DELINFANTE.
 4. Ballet "The Little Swan"..... Randegger, Signorina DELINFANTE.
 5. Song "A Summer Night"..... Goring Thomas, Mr. C. H. Grace.
 6. Duo "When the swallows homeward fly"..... Ahl, Signorina DELINFANTE and Miss LAMBERT.
- PART II.
1. Violin Duo "Tschakaloff"..... Le Ha, Messrs. M. ALBERS and C. SCHROEDER.
 2. Song "The Part of the Heroine"..... Finsell, Signorina DELINFANTE.
 3. Cello Solo..... Signorina DELINFANTE.
 4. Selection "Non c'era il bel sol"..... Thomas, (from "Nigun").
 5. Song "The Part of the Heroine"..... Schumann, Mr. E. Miron.
 6. Selection "The Part of the Heroine"..... Biaz, (from "Carmen").

SEATS may be booked at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.
Stall and Dress Circle..... \$2.00
Back Seats..... \$1.00
Ho. 18th January, 1896. [229]

GYMNASTIC COMPETITIONS

at THE VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 30th and 31st inst.

PROGRAMME

HORIZONTAL BAR, PARALLEL BARS, VERTICAL HOIST, RINGS, RUNNING, HIGH JUMP and POLE CLIMBING, BOXING (adults, light, and feather weights), and FENCING.

Names of Members intending to compete to be sent in to the Secretary before the 27th. Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. [24]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.
THE Company's Steamship
"CHELYDRA"
Captain R. C. will be despatched as above, on THURSDAY, the 23rd inst., at 3 P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
JALDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [227]

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

SS. "KARLSRUHE."
THE above-named steamer having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tobacco, and Valuable, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained at the usual rates.
Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given TO-MORROW, before 10 A.M.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have been landed, and Valuable, being undelivered after the 24th inst., will be subject to a rent.
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 24th inst., at 8 P.M.
All Claims must reach us before the 24th inst., or they will not be recognised.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
MELORE & CO.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [7]

STEAMSHIP "DORDOGNE."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex S.S. "Siden," from Harro ex S.S. "Siden," in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tobacco, and Valuable, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.
Goods remaining unclaimed after Tuesday, the 21st inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.
All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Tuesday, the 21st inst., or they will not be recognised.
All Damaged Packages will be examined on Monday, the 20th inst., at 3 P.M.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
C. FOURNAIRE,
Acting Agent.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [2]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.
THE Company's Steamship
"CHELYDRA"
having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside that ship, Cargo implying the discharge, or remaining on board after 4 P.M. of the 20th inst., will be loaded as Consignees' risk and expense, into Godowns at East Point.
No Fire Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
JALDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [227]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer
"DIOMED"
are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned, in both cases it will be at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godowns on and after the 20th inst.
Goods undelivered after the 25th inst. will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 26th inst.
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [225]

INTIMATIONS

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL STAMP DEALER.
7A, CANTON ROAD, HONGKONG.
Will be glad to send STAMPS on approval to any address on receipt of satisfactory reference.
Also prepared to purchase used Postage Stamps in Large or Small Quantities for Cash.
AGENTS WANTED.
Liberal Discount Allowed. [2404]

CARMICHAEL & CO., LIMITED

MACLAREN'S IMPERIAL GLASS JAR CHEESE, in Splendid Condition.
Price per Jar \$2.75.
LA BORDIERE CANADIAN CIGARETTE BUTTER, the Best in the Market, in 1 lb. Tins. Price 75 Cents per Tin.
CARMICHAEL & CO., LIMITED, Sole Agents.
Hongkong, 16th November, 1895. [3-1378]

"HOW IT'S DONE."

TO MANY IT IS A PUZZLE HOW WE CAN SELL AT A CHEAPER RATE THAN OTHERS.
THE ANSWER IS VERY SIMPLE.

SMALL PROFITS

GOOD VALUE. REGULAR QUALITY. POPULAR PRICES.

"PEACH-BLOSSOM SOAP"

WATKINS & CO.,
APOTHECARIES' HALL, 66, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

NEW GOODS JUST ARRIVED.
LINCOLN & BENNETT'S HATS (Latest Shapes).
DRESS HATS for the Races.
OVERLAND TRUNKS, AMERICAN TRUNKS, TRUNKS for Ladies.
KIT BAGS.—BRIEF BAGS.
AIR CUSHIONS.
TABLE LAMPS, STANDARD LAMPS, CHANDELIER LAMPS (12, 4, and 5 Lights).
ELECTRIC BELL GEAR of Every Description.
CAFFETTES (French and English), 2, 4, and 6 Caps.
GARDEN SPRINKLES, GARDEN IMPLEMENTS, MEISERCHAUM PIPES, BRIAR-PIPES.
CIGAR and CIGARETTE CASES (a Large Assortment).
TOBACCO.—WILLS' GASTAN (Full, Medium, and Mild).
COBBETT'S CRICKET BATS.
AQUILA'S CRICKET BATS.
STUMPS, MATCH BALLS, GAUNTLETS, LEG GUARDS, &c., &c.
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.
Hongkong, 11th January, 1896. [223]

CHAMPAGNES

LOUIS ROBER.
BOLLINGER (1st Quality).
LANSON (Very Dry), 1887.
IRROY CARTE D'OR, 1889.
IRROY CARTE BLANCHE.
PERRET DE LUZY, 1889.
CUP CHAMPAGNE.
CALOBECK, MARCHAND & CO.,
Wine and Spirit Merchants.
Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. [220]

NAPIER JOHNSTON'S

SQUARE BOTTLE WHISKY.
The sale of this good Scotch Whisky increases month by month; it is of Superb Quality and of CUTLER, PALMER & CO.'S Selection.
Sole Agents for—
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.,
Hongkong.
15, Queen's Road.
Telephone No. 75. [23]

MASSONIC BALL.

Under the auspices of the DISTRICT GRAND LODGE of HONGKONG and SOUTH CHINA, will be held at the CITY HALL on MONDAY, 17th JANUARY, 1896, to commemorate the JUBILEE of the introduction of FERRARISSON into Hongkong and the FUNDING of ZETLAND LODGE, No. 535.
Indesired Subscribers will find Lists at—
THE HONGKONG CLUB.
THE VICTORIA HOTEL.
THOMAS GRILL ROOMS.
Messrs. CAMPBELL & MOORE.
Messrs. FALCONER & CO.
Messrs. KELLY & WALSH.
Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.
Messrs. A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.
Hongkong, 16th January, 1896. [183]

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SEVENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, Victoria Buildings, on THURSDAY, the 30th JANUARY, 1896, at 12 o'clock (noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st DECEMBER, 1895.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSING ON SATURDAY, the 22nd JANUARY, at 5 o'clock (noon), and on FRIDAY, the 21st JANUARY, 1896 (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. [139]

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS and SUBSCRIBERS will be held in the Vestry, on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd inst., at 4.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and Electing the Lay Members of the Church Body and the Auditor for 1896.
CHAS. FORD,
General Secretary.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [217]

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the EIGHTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, Victoria Buildings, on THURSDAY, the 23rd JANUARY, 1896, at 12 o'clock (noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st DECEMBER, 1895.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSING ON SATURDAY, the 22nd JANUARY, at 5 o'clock (noon), and on FRIDAY, the 21st JANUARY, 1896 (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. [170]

THE TWO COTTON SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE sale of the 35,000 lbs. of 22s. and 24s. SHANGHAI and SHANGHAI BLENDED COTTONS, which are now in the hands of the Company, will be RECEIVED by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Limited, at their current rate of exchange, on SHANGHAI, on the day of payment, and will be sent and sold by us on presentation of Bank receipts.
JALDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [224]

INTIMATIONS

EVERY FACILITY
IN CONNECTION WITH LIFE ASSURANCE.
BUSINESS IS ASSURED BY
THE STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.
ONE of the oldest and wealthiest of the British Offices.
Forms of proposal and every information may be obtained from
DODWELL, CARROLL & CO.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 16th November, 1895. [3-1378]

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LD.

BELL'S ASBESTOS CLOTH FOR FILTERS.
BELL'S ASBESTOS NON-CONDUCTING COMPOSITION.
For Covering BOILERS, STEAM, HOT WATER, and FLUE PIPES, and all Surfaces from which it is necessary to prevent radiation of heat.
This Composition is—
UNQUALIFIED as an Economiser of Fuel, frequently effecting a Saving of 30 to 40 per cent.
UNQUALIFIED for Durability; being composed of Indestructible Materials; its non-conducting properties do not deteriorate with use.
UNQUALIFIED in Point of Covering Capacity.
UNQUALIFIED in Ease of Application.
An Ice-chest lined with ABOVE COMPOSITION WILL KEEP ICE THREE TIMES as long as when lined with Lard.
ESTIMATES given for Work finished Complete.
SOLE AGENTS in the EAST for—
SPRINGER'S ARMOURD HOSE.
THE NEW WIRE ROPE ROOFING CO.
THE ALUMINUM and GENERAL FOUNDRY CO.
SNOWDON, SONS & CO. "SNOWDRIFT" MANUFACTURES.
W. JACKSON, Manager.

HONGKONG PHILAMONIC SOCIETY.

VOCAL PRACTICES will be resumed on MONDAY, 20th JANUARY, at 5 P.M. (City Hall).
The Music can be obtained at the Practice or telegraphed from
E. A. MEASOR,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, 10th January, 1896. [148]

DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & CO., LD.

PHOTOGRAPHIC REQUISITES.
Adam's "IDEAL" Tyler's "PERFECTION," the "KODAK," the "KODAK" &c., &c.
Lenses, Drop Shutter—THORNTON, PICKARD and others.
A Large Variety of RUBY LAMPS.
Developing Dish, Printing Frame, Negative Tray, and other.
Print Washers, Measures, and Funnel.
DRY PLATES.
WATKIN & WAINWRIGHT'S "London." Imperial Sizes: "RAPID" and "SPECIAL RAPID" at the same Price as "ORDINARY."
ILFORD P. O. PAPER.
WHITE, FINE, and MOTTLED.
EASTMAN'S BROWN PAPER in all Sizes.
THE PLATES and PAPER are specially packed for us in Sealed Tin Cases, so that Purchasers may rely on the Quality and Condition of them.
DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & CO., LD.
Hongkong, 13th January, 1896. [226]

NEW AND EASY METHOD OF LEARNING FRENCH

in a few Months, mainly by Conversation, by a Frenchman. Free very moderate.
Apply to
B.A.,
Care of Office of this Paper,
Hongkong, 4th January, 1896. [97]

WANTED.

AN ENGLISH GROOM. None but men who thoroughly understand the work need apply.
Apply personally to
Mr. J. D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
44, Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. [220]

PORTLAND CEMENT

J. D. WHITE & BROS.
SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO.,
Hongkong, 11th April, 1883. [2632]

THE FOLLOWING PARTICULARS and Conditions of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the 30th JANUARY, 1896, at 3 P.M., at 44, Queen's Road Central, by Command.

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, 4th January, 1896. [172]

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

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THE AMERICAN MAIL.
M. M. steamer City of Peking, with the
 mail of 21st December, left Nagasaki
 on Monday, the 15th inst., at 6 a.m., and
 is expected here on or about Sunday; the
M. M. steamer China, with the American
 mail for San Francisco for this port via Yokohama,
 left Nagasaki on the 18th ult.
 The *O. C. chartered steamer Afridi*, with
 the American mail, left San Francisco for this
 port via Yokohama and Nagasaki, on the 11th
 inst.

THE FRENCH MAIL.
M. M. steamer Oceania, with the French
 mail for the 20th December, left Singapore on
 the 11th inst.

the 14th inst., at 10 p.m. and may be here on or about Tuesday, the 21st inst. The steamer *Yokohama* is to arrive from Hongkong on the 13th inst. and the 21st inst.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

C. P. steamer *Empress of India* left on the morning of the 9th inst. and is expected to reach Yokohama about the 21st inst.

MERCHANT STEAMERS.

Steamer *Eton* left Singapore on the 14th inst. and is due here on the 21st inst.

Steamer *Yokohama* left Singapore on the 14th inst. and is due here on the 21st inst.

Steamer *Hiroshima Maru*, from Yokohama, left Singapore on the 14th inst. and is due here on the 21st inst.

Steamer *Opapa*, from Liverpool, left Singapore for the morning of the 16th inst. and may be expected here on the 21st inst.

C. P. steamer *Diango* left Boubay on the 8th inst. and may be expected here on or about the 25th inst.

Steamer *Gloucester*, from Melbourne, left Singapore on the morning of the 12th inst.

A. O. steamer *Diango* left Boubay port on the 9th inst.

N. P. steamer, *Victoria*, sailed from
for this port via usual ports of call in
and Japan, on Monday, the 6th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE.

DELIVERY closes at Post Office at
a, and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the
13 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Letter
Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m.

The authorised List of Mails issued in
on with this paper is the one published
day in our Extra which is corrected
in later hour than that given below.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE.
Singapore, Thursday, Island, and Sydney.
Singapore, to-day, the 18th inst., at 11.30 A.M.
Amoy.—Per *Dante*, to-day, the 18th
inst., at 2.30 P.M.
Shanghai.—Per *Kwanglee*, to-day, the
18th inst., at 3.00 P.M.
Singapore.—Per *Jacob Diederichsen*, to-day,
the 18th inst., at 3.30 P.M.
Singapore.—Per *Benedomand*, to-day, the
18th inst., at 3.30 P.M.
Singapore, Batavia, Sumatra, and
Java.—Per *Rupoh*, to-day, the 18th inst.,
at 3.30 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy, and Tamsui.—Per *Hai-
chow*, to-day, the 18th inst., at 5.00 P.M.

Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, B.C., and
 d, Or.—Per *Sakura*, on Monday, the 20th
 5.00 p.m.
 Shanghai.—Per *Peiyang*, on Tuesday, the
 3.30 p.m.
 Ningpo, and Shanghai.—Per *Takung*,
 day, 21st inst., at 3.30 p.m.
 Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria,
 d, Tacoma.—Per *Tacoma*, on Thursday,
 11.30 a.m.
 Straits and Calcutta.—Per *Chelgra*, on
 the 23rd inst., at 2.30 p.m.

S BY THE FRENCH PACKET.
 French Contract Packet *Sydney* will
 be dispatched on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd

with Mails to the United Kingdom, and places beyond, *via* *Marseilles*; on Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burylgen, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and

usual hours will be observed in closing
hours, &c.

**OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH
AND FRENCH MAILS.**

When the Packets leave at Noon.

Following hours will be observed in closing
for Europe, &c., by the English and
Packets, when they leave at Noon. The
Order Office will be closed at 5 P.M. the

a.—Posting of Prices, Current and Circulars ceases.
 b.—Current and Circulars may, however, be up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles by country, with the addresses all one way.)
 c.—Registry ceases.
 d.—Posting of newspapers, books, and terms ceases.
 e.—Mail closes.
 f.—Letters may be posted from 11.10 A.M. to 11.30 A.M. with a late fee up to 11.30 A.M., which hour they may be sent on board the same late fee.
 g.—By the Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s Pacific

Canadian Mail Packet *Empress of*
will be despatched on WEDNESDAY,
and January, with Mails for Shanghai,
the United States, Canada, &c., which
closed as follows:—
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P. Post Office closes, but correspondence
may be posted on board the Packet with
a Late Fee of 10 cents extra postage
at time of departure.

**MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES
PACKET.**
United States Mail Packet *City of Peking*
despatched on SATURDAY, the 25th
of January, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, &c.

to the United States, Canada, Honolulu
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